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BULLETINS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Extradition of

former Emperor William of Ger-

many will be demanded from Hol-

land as soon as the treaty of peace

becomes effective, according to a

decision reached by the British

and French governments, says the

Echo de Paris.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Expor-

tation of bituminous coal, shut

off during the recent strike, will

be permitted under restrictions

through an order issued tonight

by Director-General Hines. In-

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export through Newport News and

Baltimore of 50 per cent. of the

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and similar arrangements are to be

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Premier Announces Siberian Policy.

Soviet Advance Beyond Baku Region Will Be Checked by Mikado's Men.

Absolute Denial of Any Aim for Territorial Grab Emphatically Made.

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FIVE FACE SEA DEATH.

Cling to Bridge of Wrecked Ship.

Desperate Battle for Life Watched by Fishermen Powerless to Aid.

Only a Miracle Can Save Belgians from Fury of Ice Combers.

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NO AIR ROW AT MADRID.

Admit Willard and Decker Differ.

Congress to Investigate Friction at Neutral Capital During Crisis.

Admiral Puzzles Officials by Assertion He Kept Spain Out of War.

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Work in Progress at All but One Strip Pit.
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Contempt Proceedings Indefinitely Put Over.
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MURDER CHARGE FOR DEATH RUM
(Continued from First Page.)
The members of the commission are Henry M. Robinson, of Pasadena, Cal., chairman; Rembrandt Peale, representing the operators; and John P. White, representing the miners.

14 ARRESTS AT CHICAGO.
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Search was continued in this vicinity today for persons connected with the traffic in poisonous liquor which has resulted in the deaths of many persons. Fourteen arrests were made today.

ELIZABETH (N. J.) Dec. 29.
One death from wood alcohol was reported here today. The victim was a woman who had been drinking from a bottle of wood alcohol.

NEWARK (N. J.) Dec. 29.
Charges of murder will be made against a man who is accused of the death of a woman who had been drinking from a bottle of wood alcohol.

ATLANTA, Dec. 29.
Representatives from six Southern States attending a prohibition conference here today adopted resolutions condemning dealers in "wood alcohol" as murderers.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.
The Federal American Societies of Experimental Biologists, which met here today, recommended that the sale of wood alcohol be prohibited.

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GREATEST BIBLE TO HAVE AID OF KING.
LONDON, Dec. 29.—What is said to be the world's largest Bible is being written by hand by leading men and women of the United Kingdom. Among those who are participating in the work are King George, Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales and the Cabinet ministers.

OSBORNE'S OFF FOR IMPORTANT SESSION.
URGENT LOCAL AS WELL AS NATIONAL QUESTIONS TO ENGAGE ATTENTION.
Congressman Osborne, who has been home during the holiday recess of Congress, will leave for Washington via the Santa Fe at 10 a. m. today and will be present at the opening of Congress next Monday.

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KOLCHAK SHOULD GO. SAYS CZECHS' HERO.
YOUTHFUL GEN. GAIDA DECLARES HIS DOWNFALL IS RUSSIA'S ONLY HOPE.
SHANGHAI (China) Dec. 29.—(Associated Press Correspondence.) Gen. R. Gaida, the 28-year-old Czech leader, who is perhaps the single dominating military figure that appeared in Russia in the course of the war, is in Shanghai and from this haven, to which he fled early in December when he was deported from Vladivostok, he is watching events in Siberia. Gaida was the storm center of the abortive revolt against the Kolchak government at Vladivostok on November 14 and 17.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Los Angeles Daily Times

38 Bargains for Tuesday

End-of-the-Year Clearance of Coats—Suits—Dresses

Our garments, already underpriced have been still further reduced. We will positively not carry over until next season a single garment. Next season we will see us well stocked with the most advanced styles. Every Fall and Winter coat, suit and dress must be disposed of with little or no regard for the value. Our stock inventory must be taken, therefore, this clearance sale, this clearing out of the stock on hand. Nowhere else will you find such an assortment of charming and desirable garments, and at prices so attractive. We do not quote comparative prices in this Clearance Sale. It is a well-known fact that our business is that of underselling and that we place before our patrons bargains which our competitors cannot match. The spring styles are arriving and we must make room at once for the influx.



Suits at \$25 and \$35

Suits of velour, silvertone, tricotine, serge, men's wear mixtures and novelty weave. Suits in extra large sizes, 48 to 52, are included at both prices.

Dresses at \$10, \$15, \$25

Dresses of serge, tricotine, wool Jersey, satin, charmeuse and taffeta. All sizes, including extra large sizes up to 52 bust measure.

Coats at \$12.75, \$18.75, \$23.75, \$35

Coats of silvertone, velours, polo cloth, Kersey and tweeds in all popular styles and colors. Many have fur collars. All sizes, including extra large sizes up to 52 bust measure.

Women's Hdks., 10c Grade, 5c

Women's fine handkerchiefs with white and colored embroidery in corners. Some with colored borders. Special Tuesday bargain price 5c. Main floor.

Flannel Middies, \$8.00 Values, \$6.50

All wool blue flannel middies, white braid trimmed. Special Tuesday bargain price \$6.50. Third floor.

Coco Almond Soap, 4 Cakes, 25c

Popular bath and toilet soap that is 10c regularly. Tuesday's bargain price, 4 cakes 25c. Main floor.

Correspond. Cards, 35c Boxes, 25c

Blue, pink, buff, lavender and white. 35c boxes. Tuesday's bargain price, 25c. Main floor.

Velvet and Brussels Rugs for \$41.50

9x12 ft. size, \$50 values. Tuesday bargains at \$41.50. 4th floor.

Axminster and Velvet Rugs for \$55.00

9x12 ft. size, \$65 values. Tuesday bargains at \$55. Fourth floor.

Curtain Nets \$1 Grade, 49c

Plain curtain nets, 52 inches wide. The usual \$1 grade for 49c a yard. Fourth floor.

Curtain Nets 85c Grade, 65c

Figured flit curtain nets, 45 inches wide. 85c regularly. Special Tuesday, 65c. Fourth floor.

Black Plush Coating, \$12.00 Grade, \$9.25

Black plush coating, rich quality, 52 inches wide. Tuesday's bargain price \$9.25. Main floor.

Black Costume Velvet \$3.50 Grade, \$2.45

Black costume velvet, 36 inches wide, very popular for coats and dresses. Tuesday's bargain price \$2.45. Main floor.

Dress Satin, \$4.50 Grade, \$3.75

Satin de luxe weave, 40 inches wide, all silk, dark brown, taupe, navy, black. Tuesday's bargain price \$3.75. Main floor.

Powder Puff Boxes, \$1.25

Powder puff boxes and hair receivers to match. Ivory pyralis. Tuesday's price \$1.25. Main floor.

Hand Mirrors, \$4.00 Grade, \$3.00

Grained ivory hand mirrors, round glass, slightly imperfect. Tuesday's bargain price \$3.00. Main floor.

Dressing Combs, \$1.50 Grade, \$1.00

Grained ivory dressing combs. Slightly imperfect. Special Tuesday bargain price \$1.00. Main floor.

Lace Drape Veils, 75c Grade, 39c

Lace drape veils in black, brown, purple, navy and taupe. Tuesday's bargain price 39c. Main floor.

Neckwear, 50c Grade, 25c

Collars of net organdy, pique, tuxedo and square styles. Tuesday's bargain price 25c.



Open All Day
Saturday

Bargain No. 1 Women's Fancy Stockings, \$1.50

Women's open work stockings, fiber and silk mixed. Black, white and Cordovan. Tuesday bargain, \$1.50 pr. Main floor.

Bargain No. 2 Women's Cotton Stockings, 29c

Women's fine cotton stockings in black, white and a few colors. 35c values for 29c Tuesday. Main floor.

Bargain No. 3 Children's Stockings, 3 Pairs, \$1.00

Children's fine cotton stockings in black, white and brown. A limited quantity, 40c values, 3 pairs \$1.00. Main floor.

Bargain No. 4 Salem Sheets, \$2.25 Values, \$2.00

Bleached and seamless sheets of the Salem brand, 72x90-inch size. \$2.25 values. Tuesday bargain, \$2.00. Main floor.

Bargain No. 5 Unbleached Sheets, \$2.50 Values, \$2.25

Unbleached seamless sheets, extra heavy weight, 81x90-inch size. Tuesday bargain, \$2.25. Main floor.

Bargain No. 6 Pillow Cases, 65c Values, 55c

Bleached pillow cases, 45x36-inch size. They are worth 65c. Special Tuesday bargain price 55c. Main floor.

Bargain No. 7 Huck Towels, 35c Values, 25c

These towels are exceptionally good values at 35c. Special Tuesday bargain price 25c. Main floor.

Bargain No. 8 Bleached Long Cloth, 35c Grade, 29c

Bleached long cloth, 36-inch size. Short length from the mill. Tuesday bargain price 29c. Main floor.

Bargain No. 9 Dress Gingham, 50c Grade, 40c

Red Seal dress gingham. A grade that sells regularly at 50c. Tuesday's bargain price 40c. Main floor.

Bargain No. 10 Black Mohair, \$3.50 Grade, \$2.50

Black silk finish mohair, excellent quality brilliant black. Tuesday's bargain price \$2.50. Main floor.

Bargain No. 11 Pin Check Mohair, \$2.50 Grade, \$2.25

Black pin check mohair, silk finish, imported. Tuesday's bargain price \$2.25. Main floor.

Bargain No. 12 Black Broadcloth, \$7.50 Grade, \$6.50

Priestley's black Venetian broadcloth. Very choice fabric. Special Tuesday bargain price \$6.50. Main floor.

Bargain No. 13 Dress Goods, \$1.50 Grade, \$1.25

Fancy dark colored checks and stripes, 42 inches wide. Tuesday's bargain price \$1.25. Main floor.

Bargain No. 14 Habutai Silk, \$3.00 Grade, \$2.50

Heavy Habutai silk for men's shirts, 36 inches wide. Tuesday's bargain price \$2.50. Main floor.

Bargain No. 15 Dress Satins, \$4.00 Grade, \$3.25

Heavy dress satin, all silk, lustrous high finish, complete range of colors. Special Tuesday bargain price \$3.25. Main floor.

SEEK TO LEASE AUTO STAGE LINE

Orange Belt Company Wants to go on Rental Plan.

White Bus Concern Would be Southland Operator.

Railroad Commission to Take Matter Under Adversement.

(BY A. P. MOORE WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The Railroad Commission received today an application from D. R. Fuller, automobile dealer and automobile stage-line operator in Southern California, for approval of a lease by which he desires to turn over the Orange Belt Line to the White Bus Line for a six months' period. The lease calls for a rental of \$1200 monthly and the White Bus Line has an option to purchase the other stage line for \$150,000.

The Orange Belt Line operates stages in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside and several other counties in the south. The commission, in an order issued today, granted authority to the Sierra and San Francisco Stage Company to add a surcharge of 2 1/2 mills per kilowatt hour, to the rate charged for energy sold to the Coast Counties Gas and Electric Company. The same order also directs the Sierra company to pay the Coast Counties Company 5 per cent. of all bills for energy, including the surcharge, collected by the Sierra company from the Old Mission Portland Cement Company, which is in the Coast Counties Company's territory.

The cement company has been served by the Sierra company under an agreement. The power companies did not agree as to the amount to be paid or as to the charge, and the dispute was referred to the railroad commission for adjustment. CURTAIL CROOKED SERVICE The Mt. Tamalpais and Muir Woods Railway, advertised as "the crookedest railway in the world," submitted to the commission today a plan for curtailment of service calling for abandonment of four miles daily in its Lee-street local service out of Mill Valley and an increase in fare between Mill Valley and Muir Woods.

Increased operating costs make the change necessary, it was claimed. Recently the Railroad Company asked permission to abandon its Lee-street service entirely, but this was not granted.

BOND ISSUE The East Bay Water Company of Oakland asked permission today of the commission to issue \$1,616,415 bonds and \$294,489 stock, to reimburse the company's treasury and for construction work to be done. The company's application stated that \$1,544,247 had been expended on the San Pablo project up to November 1, 1919, and that the total expenditures of the company will reach \$2,124,160.

DISMISS APPLICATION At the request of the city of Berkeley, the commission today the city's application for a valuation by the commission of the Key Route Railroad and traction properties, under the resettlement franchise plan. The cities of Oakland and Alameda have asked the commission for such valuations.

PROPOSE GREAT WATER PROJECT ON COLORADO

RECLAMATION SERVICE PLANNING TO CREATE HUGE LAKE IN CANYON.

(RECLAMATION SERVICE.)

KINGMAN (Ariz.) Dec. 29.—There is promise of early arrival of a party of reclamation service engineers in Boulder Canyon of the Colorado River, in the northern part of Mohave county, where, by the building of a 400-foot dam, there is proposed a lake that shall "have as much water as Lake Erie," according to one enthusiastic description of the enterprise. In any event, the plan is the latest yet suggested for governmental handling, backing water for many miles up the great canyon, conserving flood waters now needed for irrigation enterprises in Arizona and California, as well as for the minimum period necessities of the Imperial Valley system.

In addition, there is a prospect for the generation of water power sufficient, it is claimed, to operate the trains of the Santa Fe system through Arizona.

FEW CORPORATIONS ON DELINQUENT TAX LIST.

STATE COLLECTIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR TOTAL \$17,667,295.10, 295 IN REPORT FILED.

(BY A. P. MOORE WIRE.)

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 29.—Total franchises and public utility tax collections by the State for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, were \$17,667,295.10, according to a report made public today by State Controller Chambers.

The delinquency was \$47,852.24, the smallest since the present system of taxation became effective, the report said. Petroleum and gas assessment for the year showed total collection of \$129,226.34, which included certain small collections from other years. The greatest single item of tax collection was \$7,982,910.58 from railroads and street railroads, taxed on a percentage basis, a segregation accompanying the report shows, and the smallest item was franchise taxes paid by insurance companies amounting to \$144.

UNITED KINGDOM HAS FIRST WOMAN LAWYER.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.) LONDON, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Glynis Margaret Thomson will be the first woman barrister in the United Kingdom. Her application for admission as a student for the bar was accepted by the benchers of Lincoln's Inn today.



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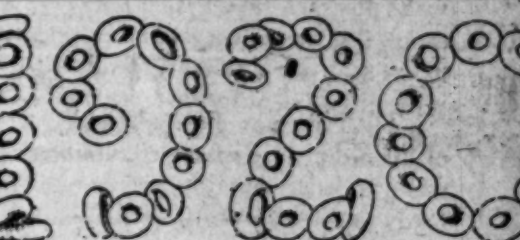
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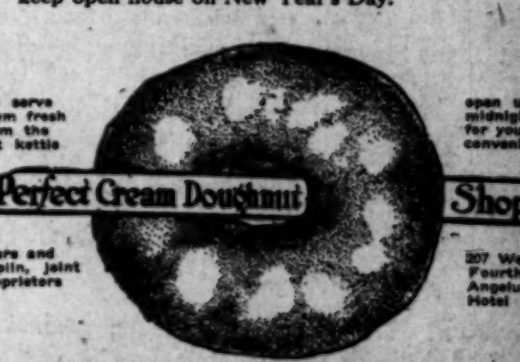


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NO-STRIKE LAW TO BE OPPOSED.

Rail Men's Organizations Ob-
ject to Cummins Bill.

Declare Government Control
of Roads Must Continue.

Want "Beneficial Legislation"
for Pullman Employees.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Representatives of the four railway brotherhoods and heads of affiliated trades adopted tonight a declaration of principles opposing legislation which would make strikes of railway workers unlawful.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, declared it in the sense of organized railway employees that penalty clauses in pending railroad legislation against workers ceasing their employment be eliminated.

At the conclusion of a five-hour session, President Gompers dictated a statement saying:

THE RESOLUTIONS.
"That it is the sense of the conference that the control of the railroads should be exercised by the government of the United States for a period of not less than two years, that a proper test may be made as to government control.

"That such test has not been given a fair opportunity.
"That the conference is opposed to legislation making strikes of workers unlawful. It is the sense of this conference that penalty clauses in pending legislation on railroads against workers ceasing their employment should be eliminated.
"That the conference favors enactment of beneficial features of the bills which tend to establish better relations between the employees and the carriers.
"That the beneficial clauses should

be extended to the sleeping car and Pullman company employees."

ASK PEACE-TIME TEST.

While the conference reiterated the demand of organized labor that the government should hold the railroads for a peace time test of two years, the union officials explained that they had no reason to doubt the carriers would be handled back March 1, the date specified by the President, regardless of the enactment meanwhile of legislation for the protection of the properties.

L. E. Sheppard, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, was the only big four brotherhood head at the conference, the others being represented by deputies. While there were many animated speeches and general discussion of the Cummins railroad bill with its severe anti-strike provisions, it was said that the railway men were of one mind in opposing the section making strikes illegal. Before and after the conference, however, the union representatives discussing informally the railroad situation, said they had assurances that the House would not accept the labor section of the Cummins bill.

Soon after the conference got well under way, President Gompers, who under way, President Gompers, who returned to his office and

conferred for an hour with Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The visit of Mr. Willard to Federation headquarters had not been announced and it provoked some comment as to its possible meaning, but on leaving, the railroad president declined to say what he had discussed with Mr. Gompers.

The latter also declined to talk about it.

CONGRESSIONAL RUMORS.

There were reports in Congressional circles today some railway executives were opposed to the labor section of the Cummins bill, and later it was suggested this may have been one of the questions discussed by Mr. Gompers and Mr. Willard. Elimination of the section, said Senators and Representatives opposing it, would make it possible for the conference to reach a speedy agreement. It has been announced the strike question had been set for consideration after agreement on all other sections.

As union labor officials were entering their conference, Senate and House conferees on the Cummins and Eoh railroad bills were concluding their first meeting, at which they set out to harmonize the two measures. Provisions relating to regulation of railway securities were under discussion for the greater part of the five-hour meeting, but no definite decisions were reached.

It had been announced representatives of the six railroad shop trades would confer during the day with Director-General Harbo, but it was explained the announcement was erroneous.

No further meetings of organized railway employees are contemplated.

FRENCH TO RAISE LOAN
BY SIXTY-YEAR BONDS.

MINISTER KLOTZ DENIES COUN-
TRY IS NOT ON SOUND FI-
NANCIAL BASIS.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Louis Klotz, Minister of Finance, presented to the Chamber of Deputies today the loan bill providing for 5 per cent. bonds redeemable during sixty years at 150 with drawings every six months to designate those bonds redeemable in each period. The measure was approved by the Cabinet.

The new bonds will be exempt from taxation.

REVIEW FINANCES.

M. Klotz, addressing the chamber, reviewed the war finances. He declared the voting of monthly credits was contrary to good methods and that it was indispensable to return to the rule of a single budget.

The Minister said that the expenses voted totaled 226,000,000,000 francs, but the disbursements averaged a tenth less.

M. Klotz said that the total receipts of 1919 would exceed 11,000,000,000 francs.

That answers the fallacious charge that France lacked fiscal courage," he continued. "To appreciate the figures, one must consider that France had eight departments invaded and offering no resources and mobilized 3,000,000, or 50 per cent. of the mobilizable age."

France, according to M. Klotz, mobilized 52 per cent. of the men who could be called to the colors and the United States 6 per cent. The advances of the Bank of France, he asserted, totaled 225,000,000,000 francs.

"The country has shown its richness, its power to save and its will to assure victory," The Minister went on. "It will continue so to do."

THE WAR TAXES.

The Minister said that various taxes during the war brought in 31,000,000,000 francs, national defense bonds 49,000,000,000, and foreign credits 23,000,000,000, all the receipts totaling 104,000,000,000.

Questioned as to the statement the country had bought 3,500,000,000 francs of the various loans, he replied the new money brought in amounted to 22,225,000,000 francs. The after-the-war budget, he said, would vary between treble and quadruple the former figures.

Discussing the fixed price of bread maintained by the government absorbing part of the price of the flour, M. Klotz said:

"That measure has had its hour; it has served its time. At present we are in the presence of three crises—first, insufficiency of industrial resources; second, a treasury crisis necessitating loans pending future receipts, notably from Germany; third, economic, through the increased cost of living and difficulties of transportation."

The proposed law provides that the subscription price shall be fixed by decree, as well as other details. In the opinion of the Minister, it seemed useless to fix the subscription list in advance.

MAY CHANGE INTEREST
TO CURB SPECULATION.

FEDERAL RESERVE STUDIES
WAY TO PREVENT BIDDING
FOR DEPOSITS.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

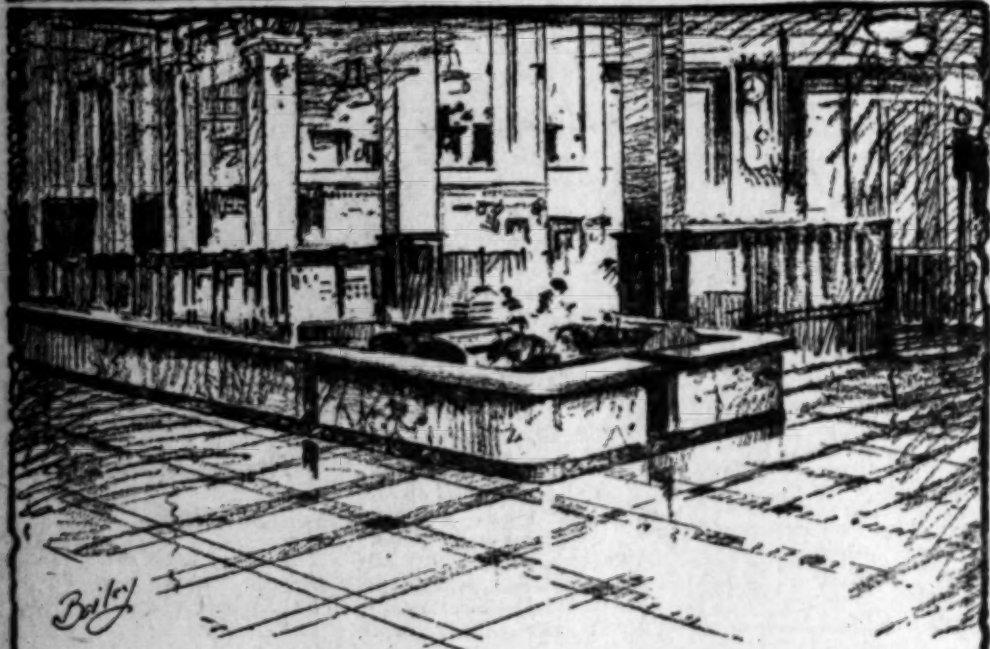
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—New discount rates and interest rates on deposits, designed to provide an indirect check on further expansion in speculative operations, will be discussed at a general conference of bankers here January 6, called today by the Federal Reserve Board.

The constant bidding of great financial houses for balances of smaller banking institutions through the offering of higher interest on deposits was viewed by many officials as conducive to speculation. Federal Reserve Board officials hope through the conference to effect a change in the relationship between interest rates on deposits and the discount rates of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

This relationship, established during the war, is vitally important to the credit situation.
But before any changes are made, Federal Reserve officials said, they desire to know the opinion of representative bankers as to means of shortening the "existing entangling alliance."

Keep the old year out and the new year in, and turkey dinner, \$3.00 to \$3.50. Dining \$5 to \$12. (Admission free.)

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You have been good to us in nineteen-nineteen—generous in your patronage, kindly in your patience, while we have been rebuilding our large new quarters, and pleasant in all our relations. Each officer and employee of this bank personally wishes to thank you for all things you have done to make pleasant the ways and brighten the paths of business—things that make success and prosperity possible, and serving in the ranks of business a pleasure.

The Hibernian Savings Bank closes the books and affairs of the old year in splendid condition and with great satisfaction over its accomplishments in nineteen-nineteen. It stands ready to enter the new year with all the vigor of a marathon runner and the keenness of a spirited race horse waiting for the signal. We are confident that the Hibernian Bank will show progress in the new year no less marked than that which has filled the year now drawing to a close.

Early in the new year our new quarters at the main bank will be completed and our new bank in Hollywood will open. Many other outward signs of progress will be visible as the year advances.

We Wish You a Prosperous and Happy New Year

And we courteously invite you to bring your business to the Hibernian Savings Bank, at one of its seven locations, for nineteen-twenty.

George A. J. Howard, Vice-President and Cashier, Main Bank, Fourth and Spring.

B. P. Glenn, Manager, Federal Branch, 2201 North Broadway.

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H. L. Holland, Manager, Western Avenue Branch, Hollywood Boulevard and Western Avenue.

Hollywood Branch (to open in January,) Hollywood Boulevard and Hudson Avenue.

T. H. Taylor, Manager, Stephenson Avenue Branch, 3840 Stephenson Avenue.

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RUSSIAN CHAOS HOLDS BACK LINEN INDUSTRY.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ARMENIEN, Dec. 29.—Recovery of the white goods industry in France from the blow dealt by the war has been retarded, it is said here, by the shortage of flax due to the isolation of Russia, the local source of supply.

Only 1500 persons are at work in three mills here, as compared with 16,000 employed in 1914, according to information given the correspondent of the Associated Press today, in the course of his government-arranged trip to the war-torn regions.

Government statistics say the linen industry as a whole has resumed operations in one-third of the mills, but with only a little more than 6 per cent. of the pre-war force. Officials express confidence that the manufacture of white goods will be at half production within a year and at full output within two or three years.

IDEAL CONSTITUTION PROPOSED FOR OHIO.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

CLEVELAND, Dec. 29.—Many radical proposals for an ideal State Constitution were voted on at a mock State constitutional convention today, the feature event of a three-day convention of the National Municipal League, held in conjunction with the governmental research conference and the National Association of Civic Secretaries. Simultaneous meetings will be held by the American Historical Association and the American Political Science Association. The result of these sessions will be referred to a committee on State government, with instructions to draft a complete model State constitution for submission to next year's convention.

ENGLISH RAIL RATES GO UP; PRICES WILL RISE.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The new schedule of railroad freight rates fixed by the Ministry of Transport will become operative January 15. The increases will vary from 25 to 100 per cent., with many additions in the flat rates from 3 pence to 6 pence per ton.

Indications already point to the consumer having to pay for the rise. London household coal is expected to advance 2 shillings per ton. The Middlebrook iron manufacturers announce that the price of pig iron and steel must be raised to meet the increase.

Held as Witness Against Wife.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—Thomas B. Dillon, husband of Mrs. Mary Dillon, was held here today by the U. S. Marshal as a witness in the case against his wife, who was arrested the day before Christmas on a charge of conspiring to liquidate her assets to evade a Federal court judgment of \$32,000 against her in favor of Mrs. Nervana Linaker and Fred V. Linaker, resulting from sale of property in Modesto.

Dillon was apprehended in a hotel, where Federal authorities said he had registered under the name of "Thomas."

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(Signed) "The Bull"

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The Undermuslins



The first day of the Whities' Annual January Distribution of Muslin and Silk Underwear will be

Friday, January 2 at Bullock's---Remember!

—And remember also that it is going to be a day filled with a lively interest—and with many surprising comments because of the prices—and the Undermuslins—and the values.

—“Oh, there is no doubt about it,” enthuse the Whities—and why should there be when former Januaries have established reputations and precedents to which future Januaries must always aim—at Bullock's?

—Why should there be when the Undermuslins are here; the 1920 Undermuslins that were secured long ago and under auspices that permit their prices to be what they are—and the values so certain of themselves just as you will be certain of the values?

—Gowns, why there will be Muslin Gowns as low as \$1.25 and \$1.50 (think of that in this year of 1920)—and a great range of Gowns at \$1.95—lace and embroidery trimmed. And at \$2.50 finer ones daintily embroidered. At \$3.45 and \$5.00 the more elaborate Gowns—dozens of different styles. And Cotton Crepe Gowns in flesh and white at \$1.95 and \$2.95.

—Envelope Chemise—lace trimmed—at \$1.25. (Just 200 of these.) At \$1.50 the lace and embroidered Envelopes, some with ribbon bows and buds. At \$1.95 a wide variety in elaborate lace and embroidery designs. Others at \$2.45 to \$3.95 completing an exceptional assemblage of styles.

—Petticoats—white muslin petticoats embroidery and lace trimmed at \$1.00 and \$1.25. White Satene Petticoats at \$1.50, \$1.95 and \$2.50.

—Muslin Corset Covers—embroidery trimmed at 85c, \$1.25 and \$2.50. Muslin Drawers at 50c and \$1.50.

—Pink Batiste Gowns at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.95 to \$3.45—and Envelope Chemise at \$1.25 to \$3.95. Bloomers at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

—There will be 360 Philippine Hand Embroidered Gowns and Envelopes at \$2.95 and \$3.95—Unusual, indeed. And

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with Gowns (crepe de chine) at \$4.95, \$6.95 to \$10.75 that will convince you of their worth immediately.

—Seco Silk Bloomers at \$1.95, \$2.45 and \$2.95. Satin Bloomers with lace cuffed knees at \$1.95. Crepe de Chine Bloomers at \$2.45—and others quite exceptional at \$2.95, \$3.95 to \$6.50.

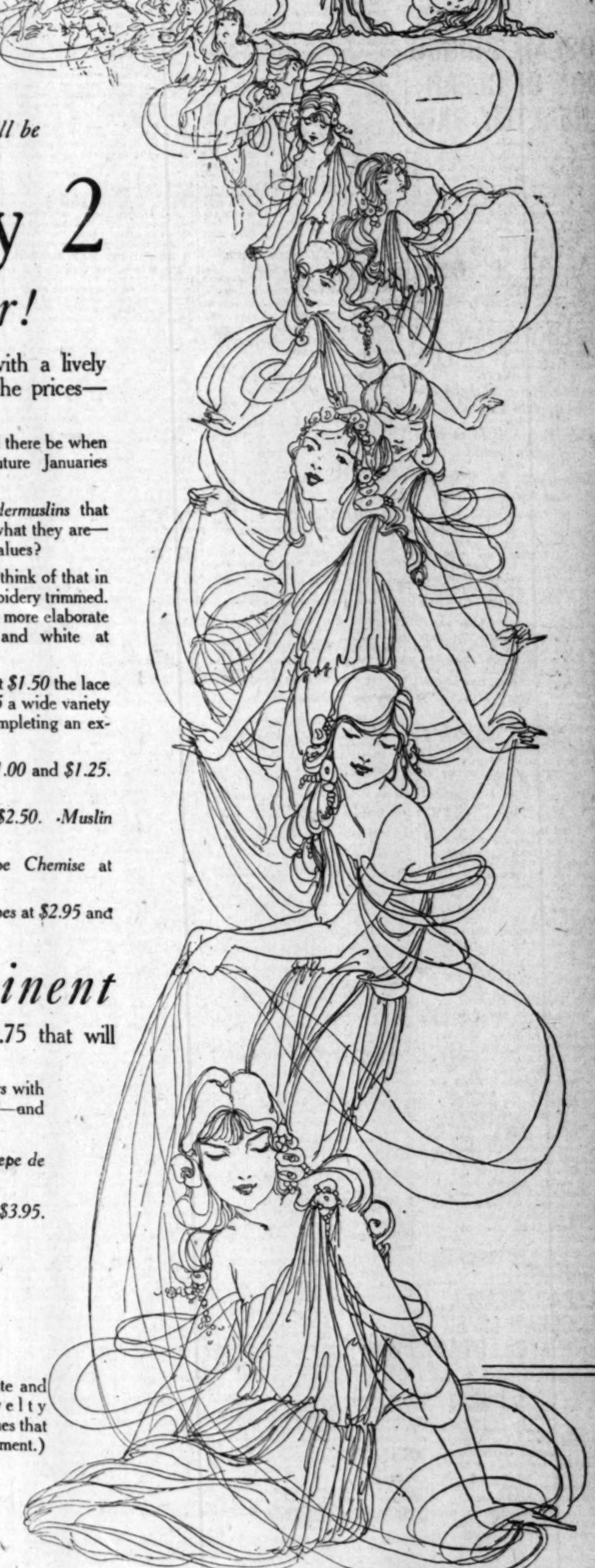
—Camisoles at \$1.95—fancy block-d ribbon camisoles. And Crepe de Chine Camisoles at \$1.25 and \$1.50.

—Envelope Chemise of flesh crepe de chine at \$1.95, \$2.95 to \$3.95. Of Wash Satin at \$4.95 to \$7.50—all excellent values.

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—and such excellent BLOUSES—400 of crepe de chine in white and flesh at \$6.95. And 200 exquisite georgette creations and Novelty Blouses at \$13.75—which are believed to be the most striking values that a January has ever known (see tomorrow's Times for their announcement.)



For Children

—Undermuslins for children will also be featured (as they always are) with values as impressive as those prevailing in Undermuslins for Women.

—See them—Friday—in the Girls' Store—Fourth Floor.

(Signed) “The Whities.”

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Los Angeles

—The First Day of the Whities and Their Values at Bullock's

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Virginia Dare
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Delayed shipment of this popular beverage has just been received.

Order today and it will be delivered in time for New Year's Eve.

Virginia Dare has been made the same since 1880; now, however, with the alcohol removed.

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CULVER CITY'S BANK APPLIES FOR CHARTER

(RECEIVED NOVEMBER)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—
nation for charter has been received
by the Comptroller of the Currency
for the First National Bank at Cul-
ver City with a total capital of \$1,000,000. Walter Edwards is the presi-
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The Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of
Lompoc is being converted to a national bank and will
carry the same name and capital of \$1,000,000.
"Charter has been received by the
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First National Bank at Culver City with a
total capital of \$1,000,000.
The First National Bank at Culver City
has been authorized to increase its capital
from \$250,000 to its present capital of \$1,000,000.
Approval has been given to the
absorption of the Hollywood Savings Bank by the
First National Bank of Los Angeles.

*This Page is a Fore-runner of the Opportunities That Will Await
You at The Broadway Department Store's*

Annual Clearance

which has long been under preparation and
which will open with all its value significance on

FRIDAY JANUARY 2

CONTINUING UNTIL JANUARY 30

*—the ONE and ONLY Clearance in all the year, presenting nearly
a month of savings on desirable merchandise.*

*—Permit us to suggest that you fix firmly in your
mind the important facts concerning this Annual
Clearance.*

*—That it is more than an ordinary Clearance—
reaching out as it does into the markets of America
and absorbing great quantities of merchandise
from the manufacturers, the mills and whole-
salers.*

*—That it is an event that has become firmly estab-
lished in Los Angeles merchandising as a Clear-
ancee it therefore needs no heralding on our part.*

*—And again, that this Clearance is coming at a
time when the selling of merchandise, at less than
regularly, means more than it has in many years.
—Nearly every department in the house has pro-
vided for this occasion.*

Lowered Prices of 1-4, 1-3 and Even 1-2 Will Not be Uncommon

*—This page is in the interests of this Annual Clearance that is to begin next Friday, and here is a
brief summary of a number of the lines of merchandise that will make the opening days notable.*

1250 Pairs Factory Imperfect Shoes at \$5.95
Women's Imperfect Silk Stockings \$2.10, \$2.45
Beautiful New Undermuslins at Clearance Prices
Tenth Annual Silk Sale
Women's Glove Silk Underwear at Savings
15,000 Skeins of Knitting Yarn at 50c on the \$
Floor Coverings and Draperies at Savings
40-lb. Roll Edge Mattresses \$11.65
1000 Pieces Onyx Enamelware at 98c
Hospital Cotton 39c lb. Roll

100 New Coats for Women at \$39.75
100 New Dresses for Women at \$17.50
1000 Lingerie and Gorgette Blouses at Half
Sample Handkerchiefs at 25c
Imported Kid Gloves at \$2.65
Metal Flounces and Tunics at 1-3 Less
For Men—Tom Wye Golf Jackets \$9.95
Manchester Suits for Young Men \$18.50
American Boy Suits at \$8.25
Men's Imperfect Silk Half Hose 59c

Broadway Department Store
BROADWAY—FOURTH AND HILL ARTHUR LETTS, President

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FOR SALE—FOWERTON QUICK
 attention! buy: **SOLD** **CHEAP**

Women's and Misses' Ready-to-Wear

Greatly Underpriced Suits

—15 Suits of Silvertone and navy and brown Tricotine. Less Than Half Price at \$18.75

—75 Suits of Silvertone, Mannish Mixtures and Serges. in a good range of colors. Regularly \$45.00.

At Half Price

—25 Fur trimmed and plain Suits of our better models. Regularly \$85.00 to \$235.00.

At Half Price or Less

Skirts

—100 Assorted Wool Plaid Skirts, in box plaited, plain tailored and accordion plaited styles.

At \$14.75

Frocks

—20 Wool Jersey Frocks, in colors of brown blue and beige; braid trimmed. Special at \$19.95

—20 Evening Frocks, late styles and favored fabrics. Regularly \$50.00 to \$195.00.

At Half Price

—22 Charmeuse Frocks, in black, navy, Belgian and brown. Regularly \$89.50.

At Half Price

—25 Tricotine Frocks. Regularly \$45.00 to \$75.00.

At Half Price

Coats

—15 All Wool Long Coats, full lining of Peau de Cygne, in late shades and good style.

Less Than Half Price at \$14.75

—150 Coats, in favored styles, assorted colors and materials, plain and fur trimmed. Regularly from \$65.00 to \$375.00.

At Half Price or Less

THIRD FLOOR

Fancy Vests for Suits at \$10.00

—24 Fancy Vests, of embroidered silk and Cascade Fringe, are in black, navy, taupe and the popular shades for corresponding or contrasting with suit colors.

Less Than Half Price at \$10.00

FIRST FLOOR

Embroideries

—1000 Remnants of assorted embroideries.

At Half Price

FIRST FLOOR

Art Needlework

—56 Models, consisting of Army Sweaters and Caps, Crocheted Shawls, Embroidered Pillows, Scarfs, Gowns, Combinations, Dressing Sacques and Baby Dresses. Regularly from \$3.50 to \$27.50.

At Half Price

—23 Pillows and Scarfs of Tapestry and Silk.

Special at \$3.95

SECOND FLOOR

Girls' Wear

—114 Wash Frocks, of gingham, linen, chambray, lawn, voile and crepe, late styles, sizes 6 to 16. Regularly from \$4.00 to \$35.00.

—49 Winter Frocks, of all wool Panama Serge and Velvet, sizes 6 to 16. Regularly \$12.50 to \$59.50.

—21 Party Frocks, of embroidered nets, georgette, chiffon and taffeta combinations, sizes 8 to 16. Regularly \$25.00 to \$59.50.

—12 Coats, in all wool and wool and cotton mixtures, sizes 8 to 16. Regularly \$12.50 to \$35.

—51 SMOCKS, of washable silks, linen, georgette and fiber silk; sizes 14 to 20.

Half Price and Less from \$4.00 to \$7.50

THIRD FLOOR

Petticoats

—50 Brocaded Tussock Silk Petticoats. Regularly \$3.95.

—24 Heavy Taffeta Petticoats, in colors. Regularly \$10.50.

—9 Satin Petticoats, flesh and white, shadow proof. Regularly \$6.50.

At Half Price

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THIRD FLOOR

RIBBONS

—500 Yards of Dresden Ribbons, in widths from 1 to 3 inches. Regularly from 30c to 50c.

—1000 Remnants in a variety of widths and qualities, light and dark colorings, lengths from 1/2 to 5 yards.

At Half Price

FIRST FLOOR

Jewelry

8 Sterling Silver Cigarette Cases. Regularly \$8.50 to \$18.50

6 Sterling Silver Rule Pencils. Regularly \$7.00

5 Sterling Silver Sewing Sets. Regularly \$3.75

22 Sterling Silver Rings. Regularly \$4.00 to \$12.50

9 Sterling Silver Lockets. Regularly \$4.50 to \$5.00

40 Pair of Ear Rings. Regularly 50c to \$18.00

5 La Vallieres. Regularly \$2.00 to \$7.50

3 Silver Plated Mesh Bags. Regularly \$11.50

1 Gold Plated Vanity. Regularly \$13.50

6 Cigarette Holders. Regularly \$1.00

FIRST FLOOR

Notice to charge customers—All purchases made tomorrow will appear upon January Accounts payable in February

LAST-DAY-OF-

Wednesday! NOT TOMORROW

NOTE—Owing to the limited quantities available but will be found on sale in various departments

Knit Underwear

—20 dozen Vests, Swiss ribbed, with crochet yoke. Sizes 36 and 38.

Specially Priced at 39c

—20 dozen Union Suits in mercerized lisle, various styles in pink and white. All regular sizes.

At \$1.65

—40 dozen Silk Top Union Suits, embroidered and plain, with bodice or regulation shoulders in pink and white.

At \$2.95

FIRST FLOOR

HANDKERCHIEFS

—50 Dozen Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, edged with imitation Armenian

Lace. Regularly 50c each.

—50 Dozen Women's Initialed Handkerchiefs, in broken lines. Regularly 35c.

At Half Price

FIRST FLOOR

CHIFFONS

—1000 Remnants of Georgette, Chiffon and Silk Nets in a variety of colors, qualities and lengths.

AT HALF PRICE

FIRST FLOOR

Toilet Goods

—150 Boxes of French and Domestic Face Powders. Regularly from 50c to \$5.50 a box.

—2 Imported Toilet Sets, covered with Gold Lace. Regularly \$200 a set.

—100 Sheep Wool Sponges, for bath or motor. Regularly 50c and \$2.25.

—44 Hair Brushes. Regularly 50c.

—50 Reef Sponges. Regularly \$1.25.

—74 Mirrors, Regularly \$4.75 and \$4.00.

All of the Above

At Half Price

—200 Nail Buffers, special at, each, 50c.

—8 Pairs of Military Brushes, slightly imperfect; special, \$3.50 to \$4.75 a pair.

—72 Ivory Trays for the dresser; special at 75c and \$1.75 each.

FIRST FLOOR

Sport Coats

—39 Women's Black Velour Sport Coats, in the popular style. Regularly \$22.50.

—28 Women's and Misses' Jersey Sport Coats, in white or olive green. Sizes range from 12 years to regular women's sizes—broken sizes. Regularly from \$16.50 to \$25.00.

—14 Women's Fiber Slip-ons, sleeveless, in a good assortment of colors. Regularly \$5.

—25 Children's Semi-Tama, of corduroy and velvet, in white, rose, black and brown.

Specially priced at \$1.00

—37 Sweaters, plain, Angora and Brushed Wool; and Slip-ons, with and without sleeves, in a good range of colors.

At a fraction of their regular prices at \$3.95

THIRD FLOOR

Scarfs

—19 Wool Scarfs, brushed plain weaves, and striped, checked and plaid, in assorted colors.

Specially priced from \$5.00 to \$12.50

—44 Fiber Silk Scarfs, striped or checked effects, in a variety of colors.

Special at \$1.95

THIRD FLOOR

House Dresses

—109 Wash Dresses of Linens, Voiles and Ginghams, in attractive styles, light and dark colorings, may be had in sizes from 16 to 44.

—There are not all sizes in each style, but all sizes are in the lot. Regularly from \$8.75 to \$14.75.

THIRD FLOOR

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House Slippers

—200 Pairs of Women's Felt House Slippers, in light and dark colors, small and medium sizes.

Specially Priced at \$1.95

THIRD FLOOR

Blouses \$6.95

Extra!

—1200 Blouses of superior quality. An extraordinary offering—Angelette, Crepe de Chine, French Voile and Batiste, in a variety of late styles. There are some of dress effects, mostly white with a few dark shades of navy and blue. There are regulation and sport blouses, some are hand embroidered, some are braid trimmed. A fraction of regular prices at \$6.95.

—86 Blouses of the better models, of crepe, novelty silks, plain and white silk Spanish lace, are in the assortment. There is a sudden change in the season of the year, Harvard's blouses will be greatly enhanced. This change is accompanied by the Harvard football team. However, the bulk of the blouses would seem to be in favor of the Harvard team.

At Half Price

THIRD FLOOR

Boudoir Caps

—1275 Boudoir Caps, of satin, crepe de chine, georgette and lace. Dainty effects are found in rose, maize, pink, ciel and lavender. Regularly from \$1.50 to \$6.00.

At Half Price

FIRST FLOOR

Laces

—3000 Yards of Real Flat Laces, in various widths, suitable for blouses and lingerie, in conventional designs.

At Half Price

—500 Yards of Net Top Laces, in various widths, suitable for blouses and lingerie, in conventional designs.

Special at yard \$1.00

—300 Ends of Fine Laces, in various widths, suitable for blouses and lingerie, in conventional designs.

—1000 Remnants of Laces, in various widths and lengths.

At Half Price

FIRST FLOOR

Veiling

—2600 Yards of Face Veiling of black, brown, navy, taupe, Chenille dots, silk dots, fancy web designs border veiling and

Less Than Half Price at Yard, 50c

FIRST FLOOR



HARVARD'S ARE GOOD IN MUD

Grounds Would Probably Favor Crimson.

Interest will Center in Casey and Steers.

Harvard's will be Rich in Reserve Force.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Harvard and Oregon are tapering their training for the big football clash Thursday, and in the meantime left for work no material change can be expected in the condition of either team.

What change there is in the condition of the teams will be in favor of Oregon, as Huntington's men have arrived at the crest of condition Saturday. That day they were under a heavy rain, and the light daily shifts in which they have indulged since have not helped them to ward off any stiffness.

Harvard will naturally improve as the week goes on, but it is possible for a group of athletes to improve in a few days. A change in the weather would be a distinct advantage to the team. Trainer "Pooch" Donohue will have a few days in the preliminary period so as to induce perspiration, but a continuous rain would be a disadvantage.

Which is now overdue, is not a matter of a Harvard standpoint. If there is a sudden change in the weather, as frequently happens this season of the year, Harvard's chances will be greatly enhanced. It is a question which would make the Harvard football team. However, the bulk of the team would seem to be in favor of the Crimson.

SLOW CASEY.

Thus, a wet field would appreciably slow down Eddie Casey, although his handicap would not be great on a turf field as on a dirt field.

A turf field, which has been slippery, would hamper him in his starts and make him less sure on his feet. On a soaked field the heavy Harvard linemen would hold better than their lighter opponents.

Of course, Oregon is a factor when it comes to the weather. Oregon's players are used to the rain, and the rain will help them to about the size of Oregon. But let the weather take a turn that will put a tang in it, and the game will romp along in good shape.

SHAPE UP WELL.

Each eleven worked out yesterday and shaped up well. Harvard is expected to be a little improved in the line, but the rest of the team is in good shape.

Because of the heat they worked their work until afternoon, and the following Oregon team arrived an hour and a half to signal the game, punting and passing.

Each team will limit itself to one practice today, which will be mainly exclusive. Huntington and Fisher will, this afternoon, drill their teams in the "face" play and put the finishing touch on their preparation.

(Continued on Second Page.)

Be Young In Body Looks Despite

How often you have noticed that you could exercise in the strenuous sports with the vigor and enthusiasm of youth! But the end of the week finds all in—you are old, listless and lack the energy to go out for a vigorous walk or a round of the links—or any other exercise that requires much physical exertion.

Many a man, even in his middle forties, has a feeling that he is a very old man—and right he is when he should be a very young man.

And he is growing old, not in the sense that the years are passing heavily upon him, but in the sense that his vital forces are wasting away faster than Nature renews them.

There is no doubt that the body is made of tissue.

The tissue is made of cells, and the cells are made of atoms.

It is the atoms that make up the body, and the atoms are made of electrons and protons.

Electrons and protons are the building blocks of the body, and they are made of energy.

Energy is the force that makes the body move, and it is the force that makes the body live.

Energy is the force that makes the body strong, and it is the force that makes the body healthy.

Energy is the force that makes the body beautiful, and it is the force that makes the body young.

Energy is the force that makes the body immortal, and it is the force that makes the body eternal.

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PORTERVILLE SCHOOL LEADS
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENT)
PORTERVILLE, Dec. 29.—Reports which accompany the distribution of county tax money for school purposes show that Porterville High School again leads the county in point of attendance with an average of 985 pupils for the first semester of the year. Tulara ranks second with an average attendance of 781.
The county paid \$77,337.91 for high school maintenance for the first quarter of the school year, in addition to the various sums raised by school taxation.

VAUDEVILLE
at 2:30. Tonight at 7 and 9.

Selected Holiday Week Bill
MISS THE LIVELY
Public New Year's Eve
s at 11:30
OWN NOISE WITH YOU.
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DAILY TRADE TALK.

Federal Reserve Branch Ready for Business; Stocks and Bonds.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

Only the finishing touches remain before the Los Angeles branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of the Twelfth District opens its doors for business on Friday morning. By extraordinary speeding up the spacious home of the institution on the second floor of the Washington building is far enough advanced to afford ample and comfortable working quarters for the staff of half a hundred or more executives and clerical force assembled and trained at their desks.

John U. Calhoun, governor of the Twelfth District, spent the day in Los Angeles, made an address at a complimentary dinner given at the Clearinghouse Association, and inspected the arrangements for the inauguration of the new branch, which means so much to the financial and business life of Southern California.

According to Gov. Calhoun, one of the first purposes of the Federal Reserve Bank is to develop business interests to the highest efficiency. He commented upon the large part in the reconstruction work which the banks are called upon to play. The possibilities for benefits to be gained through the establishment of the branch here, he said, "are beyond computation." Initial deposits in the Los Angeles branch will be \$25,000,000.

According to the weekly statement released yesterday by Manager Ira Clark as one of his first official acts, the resources of the Federal Reserve Bank for the Twelfth District at the close of business December 26 were \$425,824,000, as compared with \$425,784,000 the preceding week and \$424,987,000 for the corresponding week in 1918. Of this amount the total, including gold, with foreign agencies, legal tender notes, silver, etc., was \$192,000,000, as compared with \$188,500,000 the week before and \$187,171,000 for the corresponding week in 1918.

The Stock Market. After a four-day vacation, the Los Angeles Stock Exchange resumed business yesterday morning, rather uncertainly and hesitatingly, although as the day advanced the tone became stronger, and before the final gavel fell it had developed into a rather active market and sale. On the surface conditions showed an excellent post-holiday atmosphere, but there was an undercurrent of weakness which is likely to make itself felt during the next few days. Nothing sensational in the way of price changes is anticipated for the remainder of the year.

Union Oil in the face of a somewhat unstable market, was strong and in good demand from an opening of \$14 to a half-point higher at closing time. Rumors of new wells in wild-cat territory may have had something to do with this. Amalgamated opened at \$9.75, dropped to \$9.50, and rallied to close at \$9.90. United advanced from \$5 to \$6 cents and General Petroleum was firm around \$14.

Industrials were inactive, but in good shape. There was considerable trading in Los Angeles Industrial Bank. California Delta sold up to \$64.75 and Southern California Edison registered \$12.50. Government bonds were stronger.

In the mining list both of the leaders, Tom Reed and United Eastern, showed considerable strength, the former selling up to \$11.15, reacting to a close at \$11.00. United Eastern was steady at \$4.10. Republic Petroleum continued to be one of the most interesting stocks on the board and was in good buying demand up to a new high record of 35 cents. This company is interested in considerable development work, and if present plans eventuate it may soon go upon a dividend basis.

New Hollywood Branch. To meet the requirements of a rapidly-expanding business, the Citizens' Trust and Savings Bank will open a branch bank in Hollywood on January 15. Besides being equipped to handle savings and commercial accounts, the new bank will have a well-organized bond and trust department, and will give its patrons the added advantages of the close connections of the trust and savings bank with the Citizens' National Bank.

The new bank will be located at the corner of Hollywood boulevard and McCadden place. A concrete building is being completed, which will have five modern store fronts for retail business, besides the quarters on the corner for the bank. The location is in the heart of the business district of Hollywood.

The man selected to manage the new branch bank is O. B. Berry, who has been connected with the Citizens' Trust and Savings Bank for eight years. At the time of his nomination he was assistant cashier. Mr. Berry is well known in Hollywood and is thoroughly familiar with banking requirements of that district.

Close in Oil. The Union is drilling in wildcat territory in the Athens-on-the-Hill

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 30, 1919.

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(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—With call money jumping from 15 to 25 per cent. and back to 18 per cent. and a 4 to 5 per cent. bid for a short-time loan, the stock market today experienced another general setback in which many recent gains were wholly extinguished.
The stiffer money tendencies occasioned little surprise, despite last Saturday's favorable bank statement. It was generally anticipated that local and interior banks would find it necessary to strengthen their reserves to meet January interest and dividend payments.
Other developments which gave momentum to the day's extreme declines of 1 to 4 points included the publication of numerous unfavorable statements of railroad earnings for November and further unstable conditions in foreign exchange.
Incidentally, the Bank of England's weekly statement revealed a heavy decrease in liability reserves and the American dollar went to a higher premium in Paris.
Traders sought to extract a degree of comfort from the forthcoming return of the railroads to private operation and a broadening demand for railroad equipment and copper, but these factors exerted little more than temporary influence.
Metal shares were relatively strong, with a few specialties, notably American Woolen, the entire list rallying irregularly in the final dealing, when shorts covered hurriedly in United States Steel and a few other leaders. Sales amounted to 1,225,000 shares.
Bonds were hesitant on the changes shown by speculative rails. Liberty and international issues also declining slightly downward. Total sales (par value) \$12,356,000. Old United States bonds unchanged on call.
Merchandise paper, 4. Starting demand, \$2.75; cables, \$2.50. Time loans, strong; 60 days, 90 days and 4 months, 18 1/2%.
Call money, strong; high, 25; low, 15; ruling rate, 18; closing bid, 20; offered at 20 1/2; last loan, 20.
Prices of Liberty Bonds at 2:35 p.m. today were:
The 2 1/2% 92.52; first 4s, 92.38; second 4s, 91.75; third 4s, 91.35; fourth 4s, 91.62; third 4 1/2s, 91.44; Victory 3 1/2s, 92.22; Victory 4 1/2s, 92.20.
LONDON, Dec. 29.—Bar silver, 75 1/2 pence per ounce. Money, 3 1/2 per cent.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK CITY.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Following are the closing prices, gains and losses and low quotations today:

Stock	High	Low	Change
Am. Tobacco	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Sugar	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Tea	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Coffee	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Cacao	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Cocoa	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Vanilla	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Nutmeg	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Cloves	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
Am. Pepper	100 1/2	100 1/4	+1/4
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NEWSPAPERMEN SAY NEW DIDN'T REALIZE GUILT.

While Friend Relates How Slayer of Girl "Bathed" with Clothes on and Caught Crabs to Tame.

all right," he (New) said he didn't know how he knew.

When cross-examined by District Attorney Woodhouse, New said he was not sure if he had ever seen New.

The cross-examination brought out the fact that New had been in the city for some time.

SCOTTS "PORE" THEORY.

"Do you think New was feeling guilty?" asked Mr. Woodhouse.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Woodhouse, New said he did not know.

INTEREST IN SORROW.

The extent of the sorrow shown by New appeared to interest the jury very much.

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WILSON :: PARDON :: IN :: PENCIL.

Brings Citizenship to ex-Officer.



Walter N. Gottschalk ("Stanley Walker.")

And the sick-pardoned given him by President Wilson.

WALTER N. GOTTSCHALK, 882 South Main street, yesterday received from Washington his Christmas gift—a full and unconditional pardon from President Wilson.

Gottschalk, under the name Stanley F. Walker, while a lieutenant in the army, was convicted of technical desertion after making a "conscience journey" to Washington, and was sentenced to twenty-five years in a military prison.

His sentence, imposed by a court-martial at Camp Lewis, was reduced by the President to ten years.

After Gottschalk had spent eight months at Fort Leavenworth prison, the President ordered his release.

Attorney Merton Albee and others of Gottschalk's friends worked hard for a pardon, which was granted December 4 and restores the Los Angeles man and former army officer to full citizenship rights. The pardon says:

"Whereas, it has been made to appear to me that the said Walter Gottschalk, alias Stanley Walker, is a fit object of executive clemency;

"Now, therefore, be it known that I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America, in accordance of the premises, divers other good and sufficient reasons thereunto moving, do hereby grant unto the said Walter Gottschalk, alias Stanley Walker, a full and unconditional pardon, for the purpose of restoring to him his rights of citizenship.

"In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of the Department of Justice to be affixed.

"Done in the District of Columbia this fourth day of December, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Forty-fourth.

(Signed) WOODROW WILSON.

"By the President,

"Acting Attorney-General."

Home and Foreign Bond Quotations.

Foreign Bond List: Latest Quotations.

Oil Stocks.

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LIVESTOCK MARKET

AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING

MEXICAN IN PLOT HELD

Urged Soldiers Desert Army.

Favored Americans to S.

Munitions from Camp

Near Laredo.

Release of Sailors, Held

Mexican, is Promised

by Consul.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 30.

In the military prison at

Minotah near Laredo, Tex,

which is the headquarters of

Laredo district of the

patrol, is a Mexican who

is registered as Jose C.

Quines. The Mexican

was arrested within the

jurisdiction at Fort

Minotah two weeks ago. He

is charged with having

urged soldiers to desert

the Laredo garrison to

join the United States Army.

But, he asserted, however,

the soldiers were to be

added in the

list of two machine gun

men and thousands of

rounds of ammunition

for the defense stores at

Fort Minotah.

It was these three

men who were arrested

and turned the Mexican

commander of the Laredo